## MAYOR-PRESIDENT PROCLAMATION: EMERGENCY ORDER TO ADDRESS COVID-19 EMERGENCY

WHEREAS, in response to the public health emergency resulting from the novel (new) coronavirus named "SARS-CoV-2," with the disease it causes having been named "coronavirus disease 2019" or "COVID-19;", Mayor-President, Joshua S. Guillory, issued a Declaration of State of Local Disaster and/or Emergency dated March 15, 2020 and recorded as Act Number 2020-9192 in the records of the Clerk of Court of Lafayette Parish, Louisiana (the "Emergency Declaration") which is still in full force and effect;

WHEREAS, on March 11, 2020, the Governor of Louisiana declared a statewide public health emergency pursuant to Proclamation 25 JBE 2020, issued on March 11, 2020, which declaration is still in full force and effect, and the Governor has issued numerous supplemental proclamations addressing various aspects of the emergency since that time;

WHEREAS, although Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government has now reopened the Heymann Performing Arts Center to certain events on a limited basis, those events cannot be held safely unless patrons and performers wear appropriate protective face masks in accordance with the guidelines of the Centers for Disease Control and the Louisiana Department of Health.

**NOW THEREFORE,** Josh Guillory, City-Parish Mayor-President of Lafayette City-Parish Consolidated Government, hereby orders effective upon execution of this Emergency Order, that all patrons, employees, and performers shall wear protective face masks at all times while inside the premises at any event at the Heymann Performing Arts Center, except for performers on stage during a performance. In addition to all other remedies and penalties available under applicable law, violation of this order may result in removal from the premises of the Heymann Performing Arts Center without refund.

**DECLARED** this 26<sup>th</sup> day of June, 2020 at 4:45 P.M. at Lafayette, Louisiana.

JOSH GUILLORY

LAFAYETTE MAYOR-PRESIDENT